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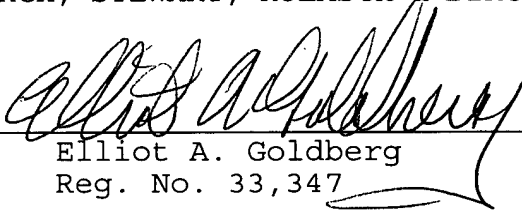
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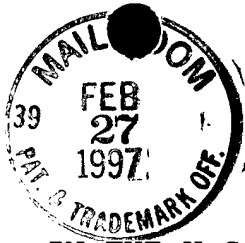
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For: ELECTRIC VEHICLE MOTOR

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Commissioner
of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 27, 1997

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action mailed December 6, 1996.

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AMENDMENT

In the Claims

Please amend the following claims.

Claim 1 (Thrice Amended)

An oil-cooled electric motor for a vehicle, comprising:

a motor casing having first and second casing ends;

a rotor having a cylindrical laminated rotor core including a plurality of laminations and intervening insulation and a rotor shaft extending through said rotor core, said rotor shaft rotatably supported by said motor casing;

a laminated stator core including a plurality of laminations and intervening insulation and having a plurality of stator slots formed therein and a plurality of windings disposed in